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SWATHER

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HESSTON
HIGH SCHOOL
HESSTON, KANSAS

EDITED BY:
TERRY L. KOPPENHAVER
FLORENCE RODGERS

Dedication

We, the Senior Class of 1965 dedicate this yearbook, the first Hesston High School SWATHER, to our high school principal, Dr. Vincent J. Krabill.

The unfailing dedication and willing assistance he has demonstrated throughout our high school years has been greatly appreciated and will remain as a source of inspiration in the future.

Mr. Krabill, we the seniors, all want to say a hearty "Thank you."

FACULTY

I dare do all that may become a man;

Who dares do more, is none.

SHAKESPEARE

Administration

C. Dabney Lawhorn, Superintendent

To the graduating class I would like to direct the following:

Learning is a continuous process which proceeds at various speeds and even in spurts. Becoming educated is an independent methodology of storing knowledge with the anticipation of putting it to definite use.

As this annual is read and reviewed, thereby focusing memories that flash across time, may the accomplishments of the past form an outstanding example of the knowledge attained with a firm basis of moral and ethical values for that knowledge and may the joys of the recall be most valuable in future life.

Vincent J. Krabill, Principal

The goal of a school is to help its students develop attitudes and behavior patterns which are the marks of an educated person.

If your experience at Hesston High School has helped you to be more tolerant, if it has broadened your intellectual interests, made you more self reliant, and given you deeper spiritual concerns and higher moral standards, you have made progress toward becoming an educated person.

For some of you this is the final chapter of your formal education and for others there are more chapters to be written. However, with conscious effort, each one of you can continue to acquire the traits which are the marks of an educated person.

WILLARD CONRAD
Government

PAUL FRIESEN
Art

NELSON KILMER
Science, Math

JOHN KOPPENHAVER
Spanish

VINCENT KRABILL
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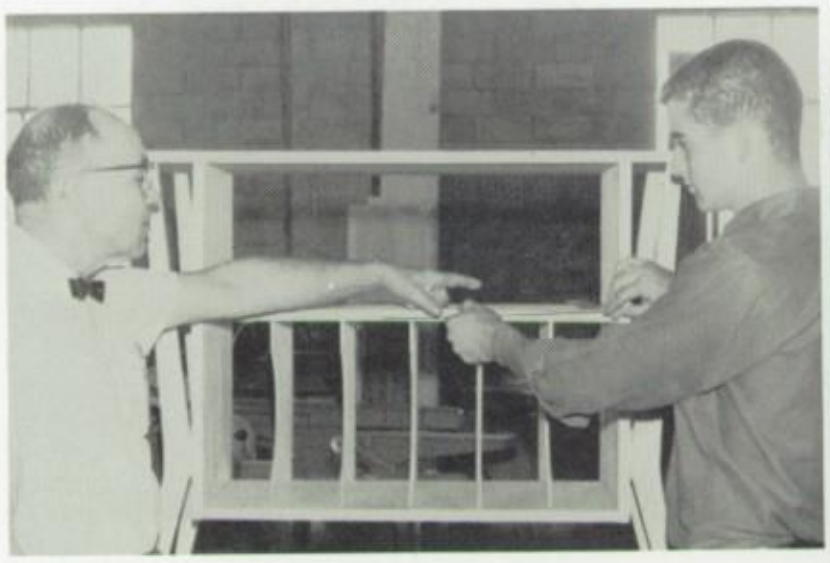


---Working Together

CLASSES

And this our life, exempt from public haunt,
Finds tongues in trees, books in the running brooks,
Sermons in stones, and good in everything.

SHAKESPEARE

Seniors

Donna Yoder, Sec.; Miss Shetler, Sponsor; Terry Koppenhaver, Pres.; Florence Rodgers, Treas.; Duane Stutzman, Vice Pres.; Mr. Shoemaker, Sponsor.

EVELYN BITIKOFER

"An innocent face, but you can never tell."

JAY BLOUGH

"Is he quiet? Don't be too sure."

FREDRICK BRENNEMAN

"There was silence supreme, not a movement, and then- - FREDDIE!

RENE CHAPLE

"Wine, women, and song- - you can have the song."

LUANN DETWILER

"As good as she has to be, as bad as she dares."

JIM DILLER

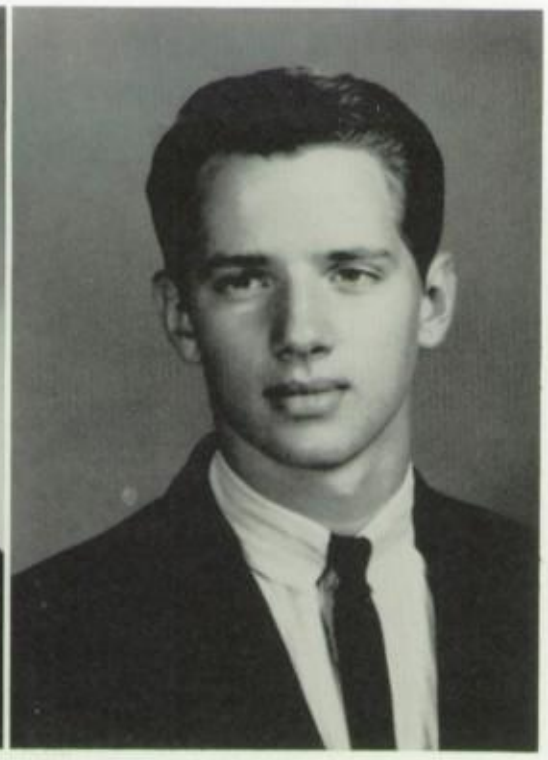
"I'd rather hold a basketball than any girl."

REBECCA DUERKSEN

"Always willing to do her part."

MARY ELLEN ENTZ

"Twinkling eyes that bespeak a pleasant nature."



EUGENE HERSHEY

"I've been so busy, I didn't get much done."

DAVID JANTZ

"A great lover of facts and 'figures'."

BONNIE KAUFFMAN

"Boys irritate me- - I LOVE to be irritated!"

WENDELL KING

"Never do today what you can put off 'til tomorrow."

TERRY KOPPENHAVER

"There never was a saint with red hair!"

NORMAN LICHTI

"A's, A's, A's, why can't I get a decent grade?"

YVONNE LOUCKS

"Away with books- - let's have some fun."

TERRY McELMURRY

"Look out girls- - don't trip over his line!"

RONALD MILLER

"Where she leads I will follow."

NANCY NEUFELD

"Have you seen my books, pen, paper, etc.?"

FLORENCE RODGERS

"Not bold, nor shy, not short, nor tall; but a nice mixture of them all."

LINDA ROEDL

"A ring on the finger is worth two on the phone."

REBECCA SHOWALTER

"She never pauses for lack of words."

DUANE STUTZMAN

"Wit explains why he's a hit."

KENNETH VOTH

"This lad was once caught studying."

KATHY WEAVER

"She smiles, she laughs, she's full of fun."

DONNA YODER

"A pleasant smile, a winning way, but never very much to say."

Juniors

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Sponsor
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Secretary
C. Nevin Miller,
Sponsor
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Vice-President

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Susan Bartel

Elizabeth Beyler

Melva Bitikofer

Karen Blosser

David Burkett: Not Pictured

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Wilma Classen

Ruby Diener

Melvin Diller

Ruth Ann Friesen

Mary Sue Hiebert

Donald Holsinger

Timothy King

Rebecca Krabill

Stanley Osborne

Mary Ramer

Robert Rodgers

Iris Rudiger

Susan Sattler

Linda Schrock

Kay Smith

Elva Sommerfeld

Judy Suderman

Carol Waltner

Sherman Wenger

Susan Yost

Carol Zehr

Not Pictured

Robert Ford

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Kathryn Ramer,
Secretary
Joycelyn Dyck,
Treasurer
Ruby Shoemaker,
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Sponsor
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Linda Clark
Marjorie Classen
David Culp

Shirley Diener
Althea Diller
James Dilts
Joycelyn Dyck

Robert Henard

Glenna Hershberger

Roy Horst

Jerry Jantz

Wayne Jantz

Barbara Janzen

Wayne Kimball

Alice Miller

Karen Mullet

Joan Neufeld

Kathryn Ramer

Alice Schmidt

Ruby Shoemaker

Stanley Weaver

Barbara Wenger

Ellen Zehr

Ronnie Zinn

Not Pictured

Don Diener
Robby Nebergall

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Ronald Zielke, Sponsor
Kathy Conrad, Reporter
Marjorie Loepp, Secretary
Douglas Miller, Vice-President

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Mary Burkett
Darryl Cummings
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Diane Dreier

Galen Dreier
Sherman Evans
Lois Friesen
Richard Fulk

Janice Glenn
John Hershberger
Kathleen Hershberger
Deanne Hochstetler

Joan King
Joyce Klassen
Larry Knott
Thomas Lichti

Marjorie Loepp
Douglas Miller
Paul Mullet
Judy Nitzsche

Valerie Roupp
Steven Rudiger
Mary Schmidt
Mary Schrag

Bonita Schrock
Douglas Smith
Jay Sommerfeld
Robert Troyer

John Unruh
Max Unruh
Allen Voth
Dennis Voth

Rodger Voth
Robert Weaver
James White
Wanda Zehr

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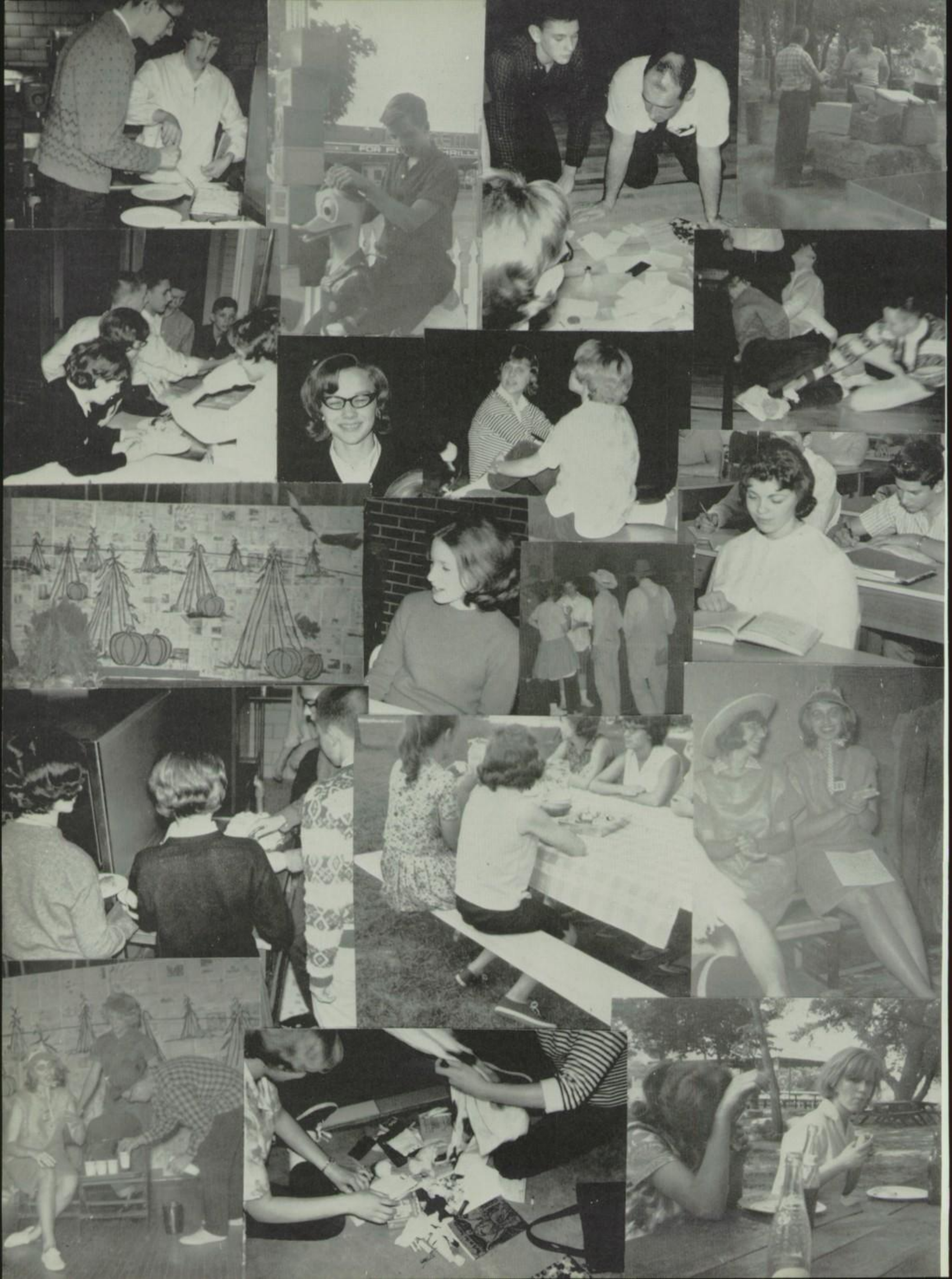
Cathy Conrad
Dwight Diener



ORGANIZATIONS

All the world's a stage
And all the men and women merely
players:
They have their exits and their
entrances;
And one man in his time plays
many parts, . . .

SHAKESPEARE

Swather Staff

Terry Koppenhaver - - - - - Ed. in Chief
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Student Council

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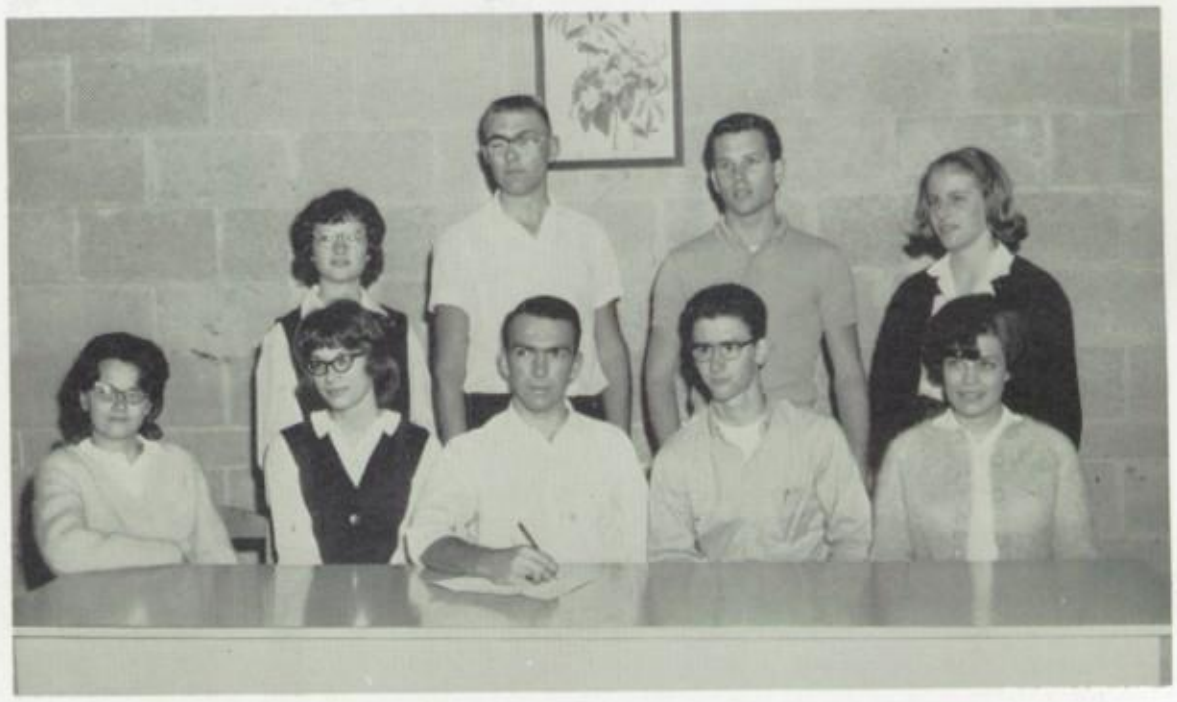
Norman Lichti, V. Pres.

Donna Yoder, Sec. Treas.

Orval Shoemaker, Advisor



The Student Council has tried to represent the student body by sponsoring various student activities and by forming needed laws. The Student Council has been involved with a variety of activities such as subduing water balloon wars and operating the concession stand to assist in paying for cheerleading uniforms. The Council also sponsored several all school parties, election of cheerleaders and organized the Pep Club. The girls were given a chance to try the "tricks of their trade" on FLIRP weekend which the Stu - Co sponsored.

We of the Student Council, through our efforts hope that we have made the school a better place this year, and for years to come.

Y.P.C.A.

Jim Diller, Pres.

Florence Rodgers, V. P.

Elizabeth Beyler, Sec.

Don Holsinger, Treas.

Fred Erb, Advisor

The "Hi-Y" filled an important place as the High School's Christian organization this year. Chapel services were provided each Tuesday and Thursday morning by the Faith division of the "Hi-Y". The Service division cooperated with a Saturday morning children's work in Wichita and planned a community service day in the spring. Parties providing recreation and fun were planned by the Fellowship division. The "Hi-Y" also sponsored the showing of a film in the spring.

Girls Glee

Under the able direction of Mrs. Ruth Weyno, the 28 member girls choir learned to appreciate good music as well as to sing it. The choir participated in the Christmas program and the spring concert. "Willie" and "Tenebrae Factae Sunt" by Haydn were favorite selections of all the girls. They felt well rewarded with their experiences in musical expression.

Mixed Chorus

The 24 member mixed choir met early in the morning before school in order to practice. This select group gave its first program of the season for the Harvey County Teacher's Association. They also appeared in a Christmas program in co-operation with the band, the District Music Festival, and the graduation program. Favorite selections of the choir included "Shenandoah", and "I'd Enter Your Garden" by Brahms. How busy the choir members have been this year--improving and testing their vocal talents and giving enjoyment to others.

Band

The Hesston High School Band under the direction of Vernon Nikkel enjoyed an active year of practices and performances. In the fall, the band performed at the Kansas State Fair which included marching through downtown Hutchinson as well as performing on the fairground. The band helped boost school spirit by playing at home basketball games. On January 28, the members enjoyed participating in a music festival at Goessel. During the school year, the band gave several concerts for the community and added greatly to the program of the school.

"Marching Hundred" in downtown Hutchinson during the State Fair.

Pep Club

Kathy Weaver, Vice President, Becky Showalter, Secretary-Treasurer, and Donna Yoder, President.

The Pep Club was kept busy this year. Changing school colors which necessitated new uniforms meant big decisions concerning color and style. Pep Rallies were held each week. Some were rather unusual such as joining hands and running through the streets in a Snake Dance in the hole of spurring the Swathers to victory. Posters were scattered around the school and town proclaiming our team as "CHAMPS." We also followed the team in a big yellow bus, shouting encouragement wherever they went.

During the year, it was our hope to bring sportsmanship and loads of spirit to every game.

ATHLETICS

O! It is excellent
To have a giant's strength;
but it is tyrannous
To use it like a giant.

SHAKESPEARE

Football

A limited football program was started at Hesston High School in the fall of 1964. Twenty-five football enthusiasts reported for practice. Two dropped out because of injuries and seven quit.

After a month's work on fundamentals and much intra-squad scrimmaging, the Swathers received permission from the Kansas High School Activities Association to scrimmage other schools. In two scrimmages, one with Burrton and one with Windom, there was plenty of evidence that the Swathers could hold their own in competition.

The football program was under coaches Gene Miller and Loren Reusser.

In 1965 Hesston High School intends to play a five game schedule.

Basketball Stats

The Varsity Basketball Team, led by three returning starters, had a fine season as they won 12 and lost 5 in regular season play. Lack of superior height was overcome by determination, good coaching, and downright hustle. Excellent teamwork and balance contributed to the successful season.

TEAM	HESSTON	
Hutchinson Central	67	60
McPherson Central	80	42
Tampa	58	50
Lehigh	48	65
Berean	49	41
Sedgwick	76	68
Goessel	61	47
Tampa	47	51
Berean (L.T.)	51	46
Lehigh (L.T.)	59	52
Andover	56	43
Lehigh	52	56
Remington	48	39
Berean	64	78
Sedgwick	43	48
Goessel	62	53
McPherson Central	63	44

Basketball

"A" TEAM: STANDING; Gene Miller, Coach, Norman Lichti, Stan Osborne, Terry Koppenhaver, Jim Diller, Ron Miller, Fred Brenneman, Manager. KNEELING; Jay Blough, Dave Jantz, Melvin Diller, Terry McElmurray, Wendell King, Bernell Barge, Manager.

"B" TEAM: STANDING; Sherman Wenger, Don Holsinger, Bob Weaver, Wayne Kimball, Stan Weaver, Tim King, Leonard Lichti, Coach. KNEELING; Steve Rudiger, Max Unruh, Paul Mullet, Wayne Jantz, Tom Lichti, Darryl Cummings, Robert Rodgers.

Winning first place in the Central Tri-County League was a highlight of the year.

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The loyal support given by the community throughout the year was greatly appreciated.

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Hesston defeated Goessel in the first encounter of the year.

Cheerleaders

"A" TEAM: Bonnie Kauffman, Joycelyn Dyck, Sue Yost, and Linda Schrock

"B" TEAM: Bonnie Schrock, Marjorie Loepp, Mary Ramer, and Joyce Klassen

Track

Terry Koppenhaver, Winston Yost, Stan Osborne, Dave Osborne. 880 yd. Relay Team that went to State in '64.

The Hesston High School track team achieved some outstanding accomplishments the past year. No less than eight school track records were broken. The team, although small, made a good showing in all of it's meets and the fine 880 yard relay team competed in the State meet at Manhattan.

High School relay team beats College in all-school meet.

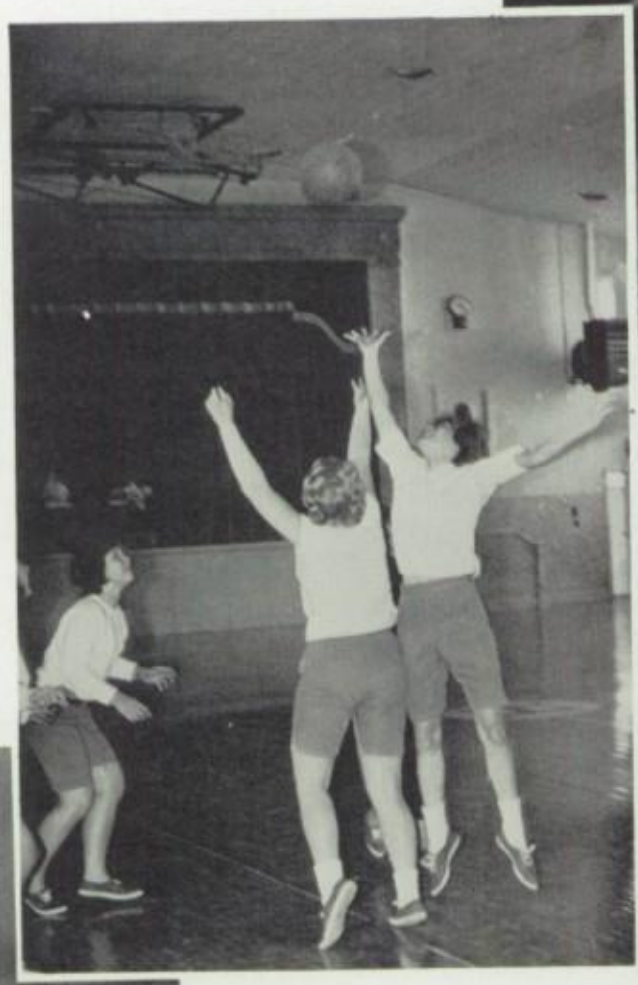
Intramurals

The athletic ability of the girls was further developed in the intramural program.

Speedball, volleyball, and basketball were the main team activities throughout the year. Speedball competition included only Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors. The Freshmen gave competition in all other activities.

In individual sports, there was stiff competition in ping pong, badminton, tennis and archery.

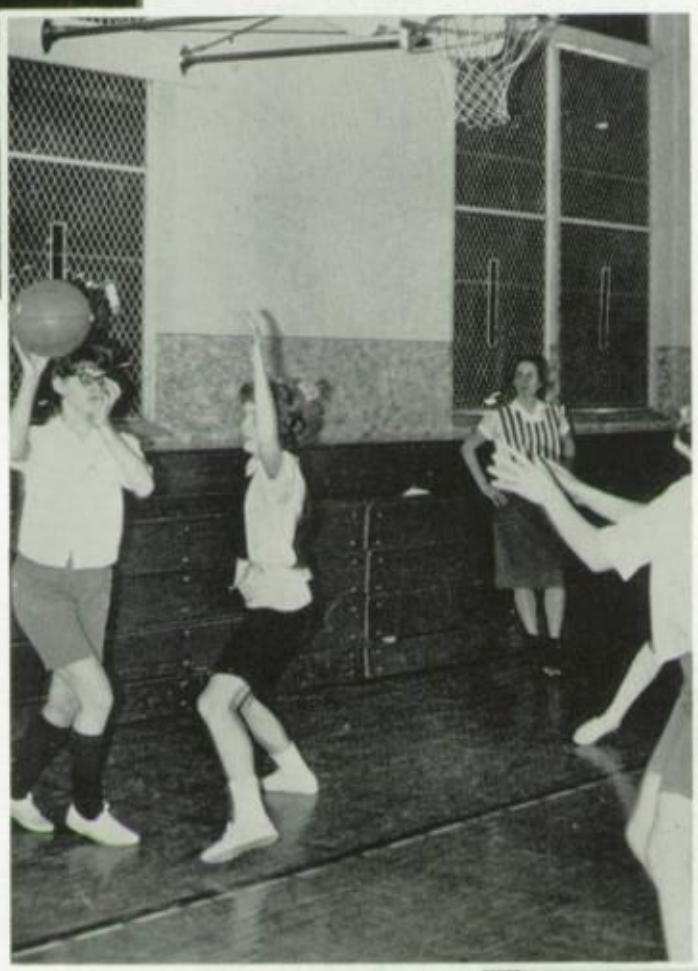
The season closed with baseball and good participation in the all school track meet. The participation and interest was exceptional. Each team had a good turnout and good spirit.



Nancy jumps for the tip off.

Basketball champs: JUNIORS - Linda Schrock, Carol Zehr, Wilma Classen, Betsy Beyler, Elva Sommerfeld, Becky Krabill.

"We're the Champs.
We're the Champs.
We're the C-H-A-M-P-S!"



Teamwork paid off for the Juniors this year. They were the champs in nearly all activities.

JUNIOR HIGH

This is the state of man: today he puts forth
The tender leaves of hope; tomorrow blossoms...

SHAKESPEARE

Faculty

BETTIE HELSER
Librarian

C. DABNEY LAWHORN
Principal

CECIL MILLER
Mathematics

VERNON NIKKEL
Band

HERBERT OVERTON
English, Phy. Ed.

JAMES UNRUH
English, Science

RUTH WYENO
Vocal Music

RONALD ZIELKE
Social Studies, Arts and Crafts

Staff

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Gerald Molzen
James Reimer
Eldon Goering

JANITOR: James Reimer

SECRETARY: Mrs. Luela Schmidt

COOKS:
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Mrs. Verna Shoemaker
Mrs. Linda Vogt

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Beverly Janzen, Secretary

Donna Hiebert, Treasurer

Anne Krehbiel, Reporter

James Unruh, Sponsor

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Emma Barge

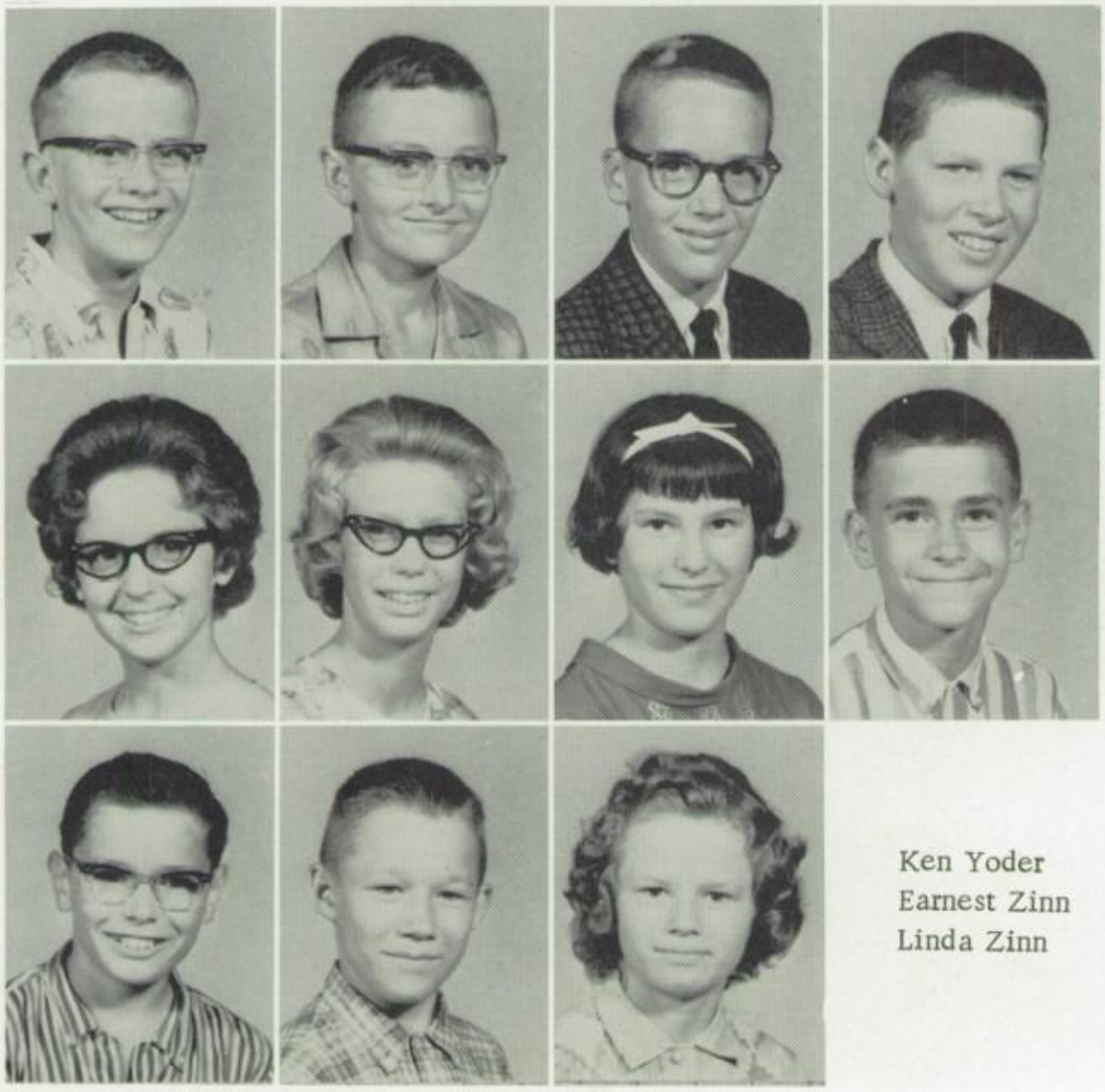
Marlin Bender
Anita Bitikofer
Lyle Bitikofer
Joyce Blough

Robert Brenneman
Robert Carlton
John Chaple
Don Detwiler

Marlin Diller
Ethelyn Dyck
Scott Goering
Karen Goering

Robert Good
Jim Graber
Russell Graber
Rodney Hague

Daniel Hershberger
Dwight Hershberger
Mary Hershberger
Gerald Kaufman



Fred Miller
Byron Mullet
Steven Penner
Jerry Sommerfeld

Sharon Swartzendruber
Joletta Voth
Jan Weaver
Arlan Yoder

Ken Yoder
Earnest Zinn
Linda Zinn

Not Pictured
Dennis Diener
Cynthia Unruh

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Sherry Dreier
Paul Erb
Ronald Fulk
Ronalda Good

Willard Harms
RuthAnne Henard
Lois Holderman
Elizabeth Holsinger

Twila Horst
Jim Janzen
Sheryl Janzen
Kathy Johnston

Tom Johnston
Martha Jones
Debbie Kasitz
Mary King

Richard Klassen
Gary Koehn
Sharon Krehbiel
Joy Lichti

Steven Mullet
Bonnie Nitzsche
Harold Nofziger
Sherry Roupp

Shirley Saltzman
Gail Schmidt
Donna Schrag
Joyce Schrock

Joan Stucky
Elbert Swartzendruber
Warren Unruh
Ronald Voth

David Weaver
Gloria Wenger
Kenneth Wiebe
Keith Yoder

Cameron Yost
John Zehr
Kathie Zielke
Robert Zimmerman

Not Pictured
Lettie Graham

Student Council

President
Bob Weaver

Vice-President
Bonnie Schrock

Sec.-Treas.
Dan Hershberger

Band

Cheerleaders

Judy Dreier
Emma Barge
Brenda Bainum
Ken Yoder

Alternates Not Pictured

Yvonne Yoder
Sherry Roupp

Kays and Kayettes

Fastball

Hesston girls made a fine showing through the season losing only 1 game to Moundridge. Gaining momentum as the season progressed, they went into the tournament at their peak. At no time in the tournament were they ever in real trouble. Going into the tournament final they faced Moundridge only to leave the field with a 14 to 4 triumph.

Our girls ended the season with second place and the tournament champions.

The Hesston Jr. High boys fastball team finished with a moderately successful season. They won two games defeating Obee and Moundridge. Our boys ran into tough going when they met Inman and Goessel, losing to both. The highlight of the season was the terrific battle between Hesston and Inman in the finals of the fastball tournament. Our boys finally went down in defeat 3 to 2 in extra innings.

Season results gave us a tie for second while tournament play did yield an undisputed second place.

Basketball

Eighth Grade

Seventh Grade

Girls

Community Interest

HESSTON HIGH SCHOOL

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BUILDING TOGETHER FOR A BETTER TOMORROW

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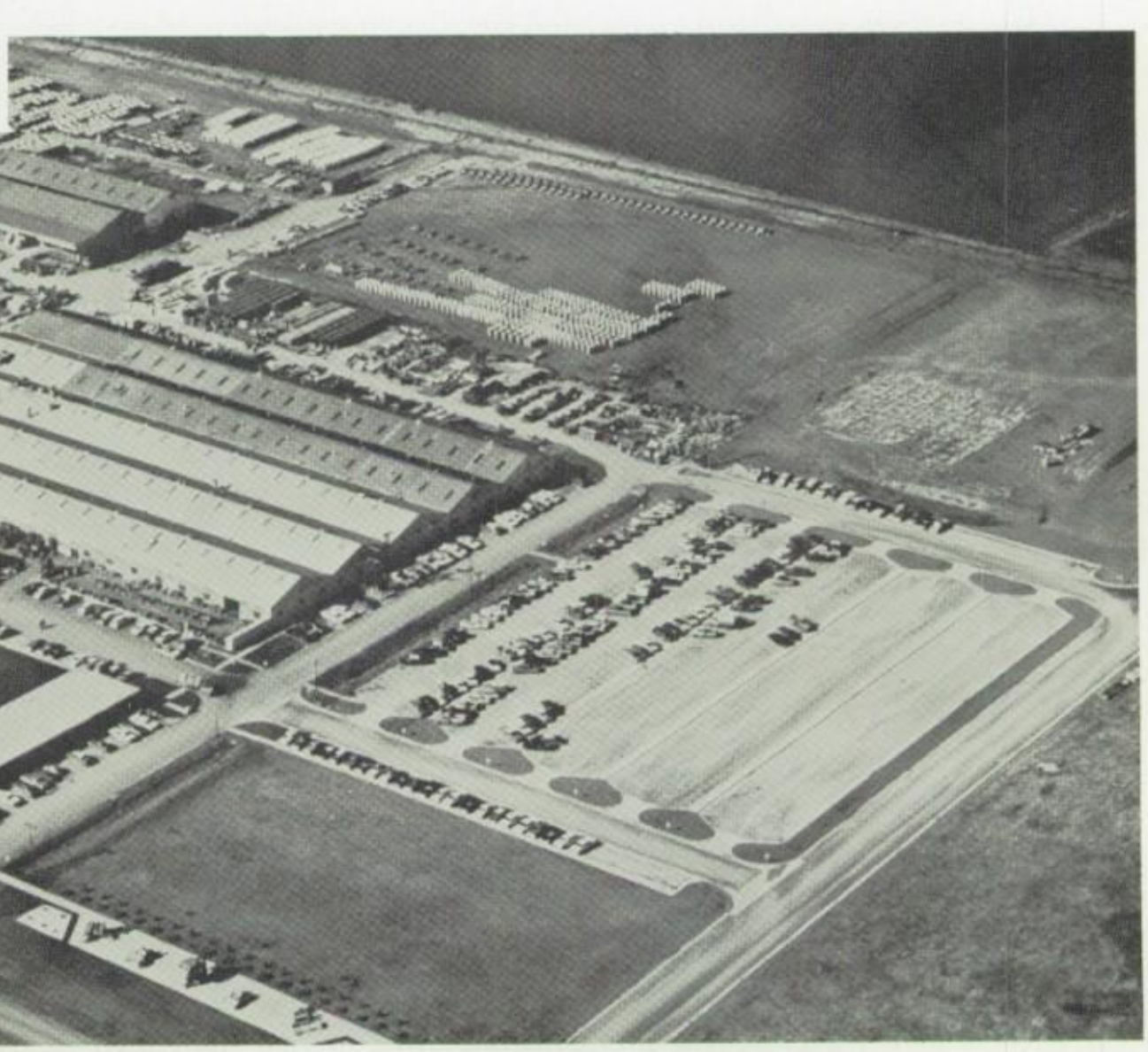

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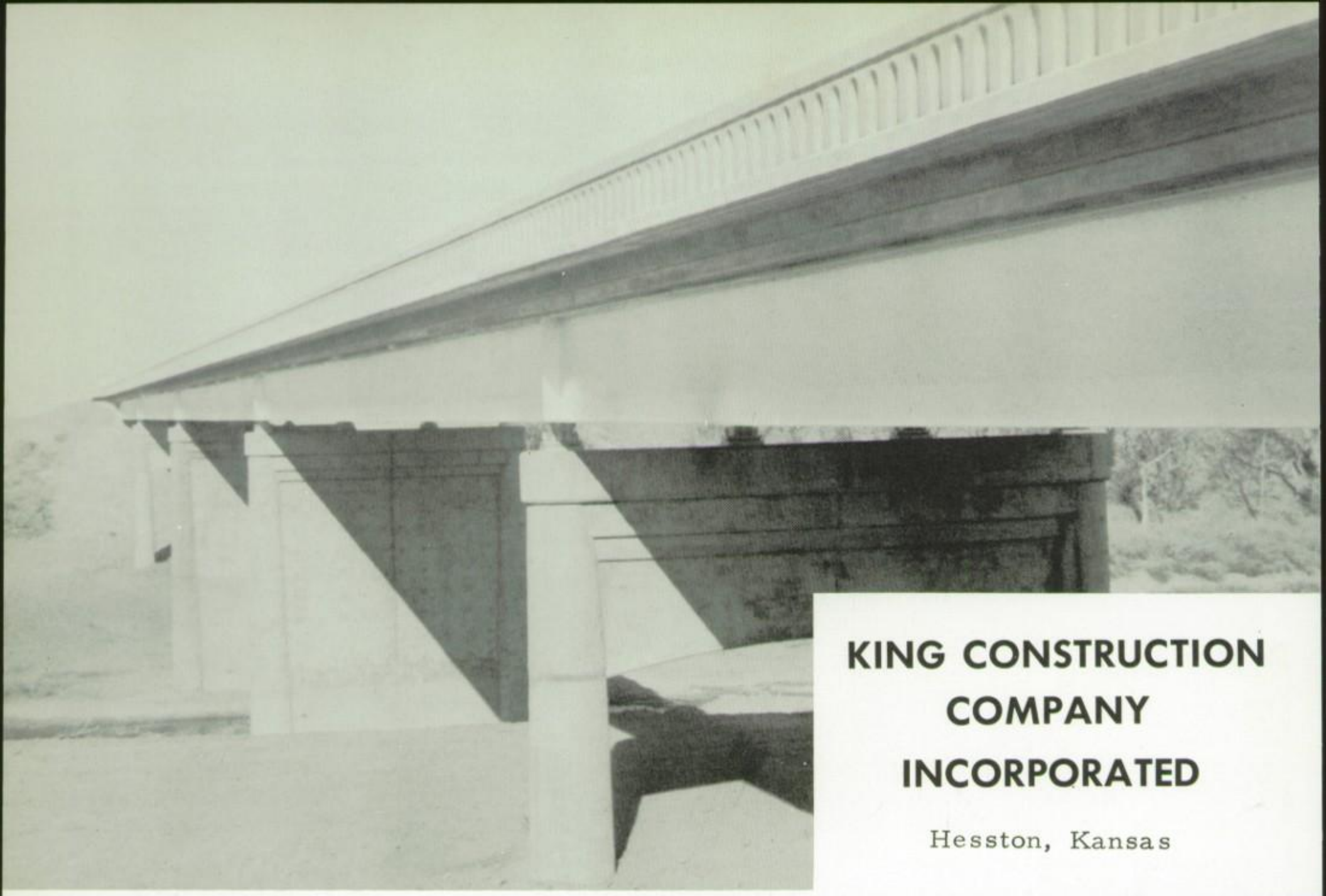

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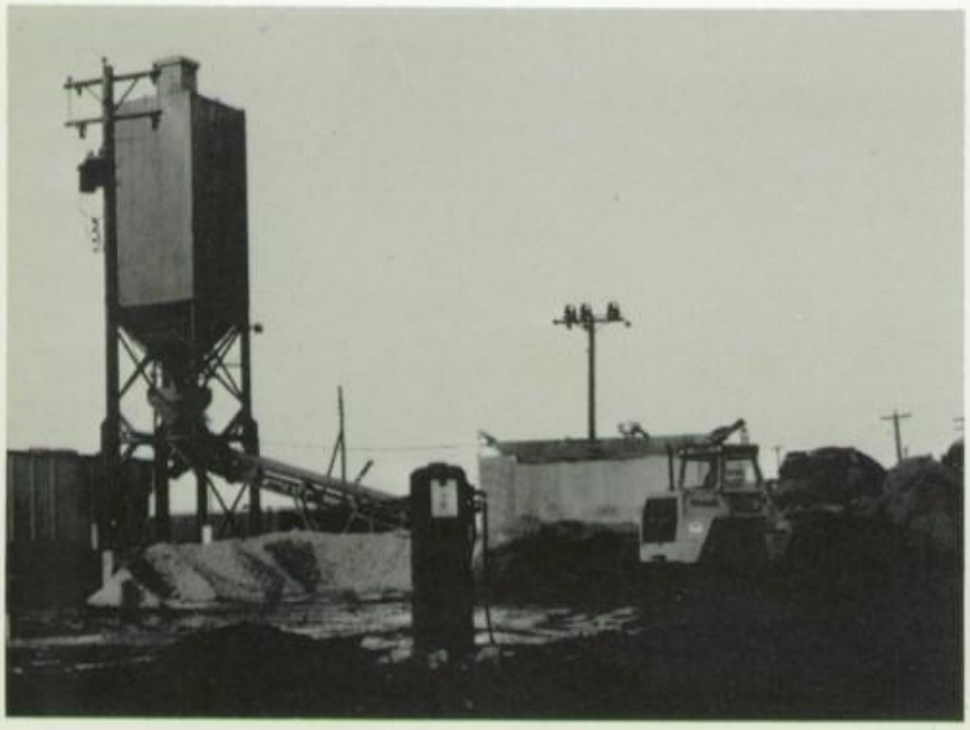

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I was really with
to write you a nice
letter & tell you
how much I love
you. But I'm so
tired & sleepy
that I can't
even think!
I'll write you
a long letter
soon!
Love, Love Wallace

Dear
Joan,
Sis has to
write to learn to
love you - well
I love each other
very much.
Love,
Love
Jim and Peg